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Gentlemen:

I object to the following provisions of NPRM 8218 proposal for the reasons noted:

1. Reduction of the 14080-099.5 RTTY band by 25%. RTTY International DX activity has increased rapidly in the past few years and is expected to continue to do so since RTTY is the only practical digital dxing mode.
2. Reduction of the 21080-100 RTTY band by 50%. Same reason as in (1) above plus the fact that the neighboring 100 KHz novice segment of the band is relatively unused.
3. The proposal places all automatic digital mode stations in the 14095 to 14.112 segment. These modes do not distinguish others from noise and may thus come up on a frequency occupied by another mode causing interference. Separation of digital modes is needed.

Signed

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A copy of the attached comments Ref: NPRM 8218 was mailed to the
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